## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

IN RE: ST. JUDE MEDICAL, INC. SILZONE HEART VALVES PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION MDL No. 01-1396 (JRT/FLN)

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

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On July 26, 2002, in the District of Minnesota a Rule 45 Subpoena to produce documents was issued and served upon Sulzer Carbomedics, Inc. on July 31, 2002. On December 11, 2002 Gary Lewis, Carbomedics counsel confirmed, in an electronic mail to plaintiff's counsel, Michael Coren, that upon entering into a protective order, which the Court received on January 8, 2003, that Sulzer Carbomedics would produce the

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documents responsive to the subpoena. To this date, Sulzer Carbomedics, Inc. has not complied with the subpoena.

## ORDER

Based on the foregoing, all the records, files, and proceedings herein, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that Sulzer Carbomedics, Inc., appear before this Court on May

15, 2003, at 1:30 p.m. to show cause why this Court should not hold it in contempt of

Court for failing to obey a subpoena without adequate excuse.

DATED: April 7, 2003 at Minneapolis, Minnesota.

JOHN R. TUNHEIM United States District Judge

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